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SUBJECT: TEMPEST HAZARD, ELECTRIC TYPEWRITERS

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1. ENERTIAL MOTOR CAN BE INSTALLED IN MODEL SELECTRIC 9X5.

2. EMBASSY CURRENTLY USING LOCAL IBM CONTRACT FOR REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE. IS THIS NOT POSSIBLE IN WEST BERLIN? NO PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED IN BONN AS STATED IN PARA 3 REF 3.

3. REPLACEMENT MOTOR CAN BE 50 CYCLE 220 VOLTS IF REQUIRED.

4. BOTH SELECTRIC 8X5 AND 9X5 ARE SUITABLE FOR OCR OPERATION. ONLY KEYBOARD KEYS MUST BE MODIFIED IN ORDER TO INSERT OCR CHARACTERS. THIS MODIFICATION NOT ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY IF OPERATOR PREPARED TO PASTE OVER CURRENT BOARD SHOWING POSITION OF OCR CHARACTERS.

5. FOR WASHINGTON: IBM GERMANY INFORMS EMBASSY THEY HAVE DEVELOPED SCRAMBLER BOX FOR INSERTION BETWEEN OUTLET SOCKET AND MACHINE AND THAT THIS DEVICE CURRENTLY IN USE BY FRG GOVERNMENT. COST APPROXIMATELY DM700 OR \$291.00 AT RATE OF DM2.40 TO DOLLAR.

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